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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Title Page:

Item [75], Inventors, please delete "Ronnie C. Hanecak, San Clemente, CA (US); Kevin P. Anderson, Carlsbad, CA (US); Ming-Yi Chiang, San Diego, CA (US); Vickie L. Brown-Driver, Solana Beach, CA (US);";

Column 16, Claim 4, line 62, please delete "oligonueleotide" and insert therefore --oligonucleotide--;

Column 16, Claim 5, line 67, please delete "phosphorothioute" and insert therefore --phosphorothioate--;

Column 17, Claim 8, line 5, please delete "otigonucleotide" and insert therefore --oligonucleotide--;

Column 17, Claim 8, line 12, please delete "thionoalkyiphosphonate" and insert therefore --thionoalkylphosphonate--;

Column 17, Claim 8, line 25, please delete " SO_2CH " and insert therefore -- SO_2CH_3 --;

Column 17, Claim 8, line 36, please delete "6azo" and insert therefore --6-azo--;

Column 17, Claim 8, line 45, please delete "7-deazaadenine" and insert therefore --7-deazaadenine--;

Column 17, Claim 8, line 46, please delete "3-deazeadenine" and insert therefore --3-deazaadenine--;

Column 17, Claim 10, line 59, please delete " $-\text{O}(\text{CH}_2\text{ON}(\text{CH}_3)_2)$ " and insert therefore -- $-\text{O}(\text{CH}_2)_2\text{ON}(\text{CH}_3)_2$ --;

Column 18, Claim 13, line 6, please delete "2" and insert therefore --2'--;

Column 18, Claim 15, line 9, please delete "otigonucleotide" and insert therefore --oligonucleotide--;

Column 18, Claim 15, line 9, please delete "4" and insert therefore --11--;

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Column 18, Claim 15, line 16, please delete "thionoalkyiphosphonate" and insert therefore --thionoalkylphosphonate--;

Column 18, Claim 15, line 29, please delete "SO₂CH" and insert therefore --SO₂CH₃--;

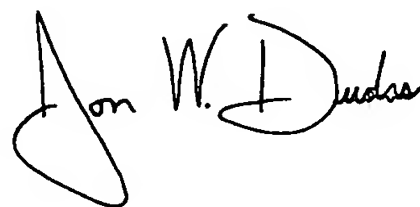
Column 18, Claim 15, line 40, please delete "6azo" and insert therefore --6-azo--;

Column 18, Claim 15, line 49, please delete "7-deazaudenine" and insert therefore --7-deazaadenine--;

Column 18, Claim 15, line 50, please delete "3-deazeadenine" and insert therefore --3-deazaadenine--.

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A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jon W. Dudas". The signature is stylized with a large, looped initial "J" and a cursive "Dudas".

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